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In re US National Phase Patent Application of

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WARNING SYSTEM FOR ROAD.

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The Honorable Assistant Commissioner

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Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Preliminary to acceptance and examination of the subject case, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 3, line 1, change "claims" to -claim- and delete "or 2".

Claim 4, line 1, change "claims" to -claim- and delete "or 2".

Claim 5, line 1, change "claims" to -claim- and delete "2, 3, or 4".

Claim 6, line 1, change "claims" to -claim- and delete ", 2, 3, 4, or 5".

Claim 7, line 1, change "claims" to -claim- and delete ", 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6".

Claim 10, line 1, change "claims" to -claim- and delete "and 9".

Claim 11, line 1, change "claims" to -claim- and delete ", 9 or 10".

Claim 13, line 1, change "claims" to -claim- and delete "or 12".